

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. ____

Introduced by: Burton

A HOUSE RESOLUTION to recognize and honor Shan Rutherford, Senior Minister at Greenwood Christian Church for 25 years.

Whereas, Greenwood Christian Church just celebrated its 25th Anniversary;

Whereas, Shan Rutherford came to Greenwood Christian Church in 1976 as the Senior Minister;

Whereas, before coming to Greenwood, he held ministries in California, Texas, and Oklahoma;

Whereas, Shan has traveled to preach in Africa, India, Russia, Australia, Haiti, Chile, and Europe;

Whereas, he graduated high school from Tulsa Central High School and attended Ozark Christian College in Joplin, Missouri;



Whereas, Shan Rutherford began preaching when he was 18 years old and has continued preaching 41 years;

Whereas, he has also served his community as a member of the Greenwood Police Merit Board;

Whereas, Shan and his devoted wife, Karen, have been married for almost 40 years; she has been a constant supporter of Shan's efforts and has been the blunt of his jokes many times, referring to her cooking;

Whereas, they have three sons- Shan, 36, an attorney in Texas, James, 34, a pipefitter in Indiana, and Dan, 31, a minister in North Carolina;

Whereas, Shan and Karen Rutherford have four grandchildren and are expecting their fifth;

Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives of the Indiana General Assembly honors Shan Rutherford, Senior Minister of Greenwood Christian Church.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Shan Rutherford.

